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The Nevada City Nugget helps your city and county to grow in population and prosperity. By subscribing to, and advertising in the Nugget, therefore, you help yourself.

Thinking Out Loud

(By H. M. L.)

With upwards of $80,000 in WPA projects to be completed in Nevada City, with approximately $150,000, including WPA aid, to be expended on school buildings, and with Nevada County numbered among the first fourteen counties in the United States to use 100 per cent of its Federal Housing quota, it would appear doubtful whether, since the decade of 1860, this city, had ever exceeded its present and prospective building activity. The WPA projects include the airport, a new city hall, street and sidewalk improvement, and improvements in Pioneer's Park. Whatever Nevada City's share may prove to be in the 30 billion dollar national debt to be paid later, at least this city will have done its part toward obtaining community things of value. Our children may groan under the tax load, but at least they will have a great deal to show for the money paid.

If we were to say off hand which blessing of all New Deal dispensations, Nevada City twenty years from now will most appreciate, we would name first of all, the airport. As time wears on the airport will be the center of practically all transportation activity. Only heavy freight will use roads or rails. Mail, parcel post, merchandise, such as foods and clothing, will arrive by air. Twenty years hence no one will dream of taking a trip of a hundred or more miles in anything but a plane. Around the airport owners of planes will build their homes and commute to work in San Francisco and other cities.

In aid mindedness, Russia today is far ahead of this country. All over the western portion of that great Soviet republic, air towers have been erected where boys and girls learn to parachute to the ground, tens of thousands are building and flying gliders, and of course thousands more are training to be pilots. Russian army officers carry hundreds of troops in airplanes and drop them off in parachutes at strategic points in army maneuvers. This country has a long ways to ge in airplaning, but once it starts, with cheap serviceable machines, it will go fast and far.

Governor Merriam, it is reported, when twitted about his bald dome by someone with a bushy head of hair, retorts: "I could have had hair if I had wanted it, but I had rather have brains." This undoubtedly is a joke. Yet—still—but we wonder whether some damphool with no reverence for the state executive's job does not make the obvious rejoiner.

Our opinion is that Secretary of State Cordell Hull is rather rushing the sanctions season. Of course all restrictions that neutral United States applies, will bear down equally in diplomatic language upon both belligerents. But as a matter of practice Italy will be the nation to get it in the neck. When oil sanctions are finally applied by the league of nations to Italy, it will be time enough for the United States to cut Italy and Ethiopia off the oil trading list. It might just happen that the league will not apply oil sanctions. In that case, it would look as if Mr. Hull had been precipitate and had left this country out on a limb. We want no war nor part in any war. Mr. Hull would do well to keep his oar out, at least until the league acts.

Col. House, who, to put it mildly went over big with President Wilson, returns to the lime light again with a press statement to the effect that Europe had best let Mussolini spend himself in Africa and thereby avoid an explosion in Europe. This is merely the old diplomatic stuff, which accords might whatever it may desire from the weak. Moral values have no weight with Mr. House. But, as a matter of fact, it might turn out very excellent advice, for at present writing, the Ethiopian cause is looking up. Fever, a pestilence of flies, altitude and a hellish hot climate, are all taking their toll of Italian troops. Add to this the numerical superiority of the blacks, their savage, guerilla method of fighting and Italy, it would seem, is fighting heavy odds. Unless a smashing victory is attained before April, the rainy season will call a halt on Itlian agression. A long war, over taxing the Italian people and all national resources, will wind up Mussolini's career as surely as sanctions.

Mr. William Lackland of North San Juan is spending a few days in Nevada City. He has been ill and is undergoing treatment by a local doctor.

CONFERENCE OF OLDER BOYS IS ATTENDED BY 150

(By BEN SWEENEY)

The Nevada City delegation to the Older Boys' Conference held at Oroville over Saturday and Sunday, returned to this city late Sunday afternoon inspired with the speeches they had heard, the discussions into which they had entered and the friendships they had built up with other boys. Over two hundred and fifty boys representing twenty-two schools in northern California gathered during the two day period to enter into the spirit of a lively convention, the theme of which was "Score."

Dick Stevens presided over the first half of the conference as conference president, and Oscar Odegaard was the first student speaker following the welcome speech by an Oroville delegate. Odegaard's address: "Scoring in this Conference" was met with the high approval of all present, and it was felt by any that this topic, the keynote of the conference, could not have been presented in any finer way than the way in which he presented it.

The discussion periods concerned such subjects as Personality, Scoring on the Job, Scoring in Sports, World Peace, and Service. Competent leaders, chosen from the group, lead these discussions, and reports were given in the general assembly concerning the outcome of the discussions.

Among the speakers present were Taylor Douthit, outfielder of Saint Louis Cardinals for eight years, Dr. George C. Jensen, principal of Sacramento high school, and Fred Morrow, college student pastor from Berkeley. Inspiring messages, built around the central theme, were delivered by each of these men.

A dance given by the Girls' League of the Oroville high school Saturday evening also was enjoyed by the boys in attendance. The entire program preceding the dance was presented by high school students from Oroville organizations also, and high tribute was given to the entertaining school.

Assembly reports will be given by the local delegates at the high school here during this week. The list of delegates in attendance from the local high school was altered in but one respect, that being the attendance of Phil Angove in the place of Walter Warnecke.

VETERANS TO ATTEND LANDSDALE POST WED.

Several veterans of Banner Mt. Post, V. F. W., are preparing to attend the County Council meeting at Landsdale Post, V. F. W., in Sacramento Wednesday evening. Those signifying intention to attend are Messrs. Glen Cleland, Commander Leroy Delaney, Ed Rose, C. E. Bosworth, Cal Christensen, Earl Raymond, Joe Mitchell and Julio Pinelli. Mr. Glen Cleland is a candidate for Junior Vice Commander of the County Council.

JUNIOR RED CROSS BOXES GO TO HAWAII

Mrs. Ella Austin, County Superintendent of Schools, and chairman of the Nevada County Junior Red Cross has received the following letter from George T. Berry, director of Junior Red Cross, San Francisco:

"We received some time ago eight Christmas boxes from the Jniors of Nevada City and as there was nothing to indicate to which country they should be sent we took the liberty of forwarding them to Hawaii. It happened that we are concentrating on the shipment for that country at the time of their arrival. The boxes were very nice indeed, and we feel sure that they will give great happiness to children who receive them. We shall share with you any acknowledgments which we may receive."

WATTERS PROPERTY BEING REOPENED

Mr. Percy Watters is opening up an old tunnel on his 40 acre property which lies southeast of the Prosper mining ground on Canada Hill southeast of this city. In former operations gravel in the tunnel yielded well and many coarse gold nuggets were mined.

TONS OF POWDER BREAK UP VAST GRAVEL BEDS

Messrs. Clarence Martz and Adrian Torpey, of this city, who have been employed at the Scales Placer mine above Sierra City, returned home this week and will remain here until there is sufficient water to start operations. A charge of 38 tons of powder was set off in drifts driven in gravel at the edge of the pit in the channel. The immense blast was quite successful in loosening many yards of gravel for future placer operations. Actual developments work started November first.

The property was reopened over a year ago and employed 125 men for many months. This force has been cut to 32 men. Ten miles of ditch and four miles of flumes have been constructed. Two miles of these flumes were built around a steep mountain bluff and was difficult work. The flume goes into Canyon Creek. As soon as sufficient rainfall occurs placer operations will start. Mr. T. U. Anderson is superintendent.

HERE'S A CHANCE TO HELP RIDGE KIDDIES XMAS

(By KATHERINE BRAITHWAITE)

The P. T. A. card party held in the school house last Friday evening was a success in every detail. The weather permitted everyone along the ridge to attend and gave the folks an opportunity to chat with friends they had not been able to visit in a long time.

The ladies highest score was made by Miss Leona Davenport. A lovely manicure set in a cedar chest. This prize was donated by Mrs. Carrie Holland. The gentlemen's highest score was made by Mr. Harvey Truebshanks. A useful leather zipper wallet. Miss Wilma Kessler and Mr. Neal Strand were awarded the consolation prizes. Mr. Everett Kessler won the handsome door prize donated by Mrs. Amelia Cunningham of Willow Springs. This was a large box packed to the limit with canned goods, a pumpkin and other useful articles.

Refreshments were served after the games and Miss Harley, the assistant teacher at North San Juan, played the organ and the folks gathered around and sang their old favorite songs. The money from this card party will be used for the Ridge Children's Christmas Party which will be given in Twamley Hall on the evening of December 20th.

Whether it is fifty cents or a used toy, any donation toward this fund swells the tide of happiness for the two hundred or more little folks up here on the Ridge.

If anyone wishes to help, leave or phone the contribution to the Nugget office. It will be sent by reliable persons to the P. T. A. committee, appointed for that purpose at North San Juan. The following contributions have been received.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dare $1.50.

North San Juan Improvement League $5.00.

Mr. Frank Homer one hundred pounds oranges.

Mr. Frank Homer twenty five pounds walnuts.

Willow Springs Grocery store, one hundred toys.

This last contribution is of especial interest to the children and are now on display in the windows of the Willow Springs store.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS TOMORROW NIGHT

The Nevada City Chamber of Commerce will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow, Tuesday, evening in the Chamber of Commerce room on Commercial street. There are several matters of importance to be discussed and President Fred F. Cassidy urges a full attendance of members.

PROSPER QUARTZ PROPERTY

Three men, Dan and Gus Olsen and Clark Hunt, are developing the Prosper quartz property on Canada Hill southeast of Nevada City. They have driven a 600 foot tunnel and in surface workings open cuts have opened up 200 feet of ledge carrwing good values.

N. C. N. G. R. R. TO BEGIN DELIVERY BY TRUCK DEC. 11

The Nevada County Narrow Gauge Railroad announces that its truck servcie, for which it received a franchise from the State Railroad Commission a few weeks since, will begin operation on December 11. The first morning deliveries of freight from San Francisco and the bay district, and from Sacramento, will be made on that morning at seven o'clock in Grass Valley and at eight o'clock in Nevada Ctiy.

The announcement states that the service will be under the management of Pacific Motor Transport Co. However, the trucks and facilities used in moving freight from Sacramento to Grass Valley and Nevada City are owned by a Narrow Gauge subsidiary. The new service will give the Nevada County cities tse door delivery facilities that most valley towns enjoy.

FIRST LEAGUE BASKET BALL GAME DEC. 20

The first league game of the Nevada City high school basketball team will be played at Lincoln, December 20, other games scheduled are:

January 10, Roseville at Nevada City.

January 17, Grass Valley at Nevada City.

January 24, Nevada City at Auburn.

January 30, Nevada City at Roseville.

February 7, Nevada City at Grass Valley.

February 14, Auburn at Nevada City.

February 21, Lincoln at Nevada City.

February 28, Grant at Nevada City.

March 6, Nevada City at Grant.

The starting line up of the A team is Wilde and Elliott, forwards; Stevens, center; Santinelli and Steger, guards.

Second team: Perez and P. Joyal or King, forwards; F. Joyal or E. Young, center; Doolittle and Molthem, guards.

"B" team: Schiffner and Bennet, forwards; W. Mullis, center; Clark and Gates, guards.

The complete squad consists of: A and B squads: A. M. Doolittle, Bill Molthen, Ray Wilde, Ray Steger, Fay Joyal, Phil Joyal, Wylie King, A. Elliott, Max Santinelli, E. Young, Tony Perez, John Krong, Dick Stevens, Tom Richards.

B: A. Tod Bonner, John Harding, N. Mullis, E. Brown, Ellerd Gates, M. Clark, B. Schiffner, Phil Angove, J. Englebright, Bill Bennett, Frank White, H. Buck, Ray Wohtrley, Bob Proctor, Wilbur Bishop.

PARALLEL PARKING IS NOW MANDATORY

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 8.—Just as the automobile of yesterday, with its angle parking, ruled out the hitching post, so has parallel parking today sounded the death knell for angular stalls on state highways and many of the streets in cities of California.

The 1935 legislature, taking a tip from cities which reduced accidents and speeded up traffic with parallel parking, raised the strongest barrier against angle parking when it made it mandatory to parallel park on all through state highways and on such highways running through incorporated areas. The second greatest factor to endorse the safety method of parking was the Los Angeles county board of supervisors which recently adopted an ordinance enforcing parallel parking as outlined by the legislature.

Question of a city's liability in event an accident is caused through angle parking on highways which the state law says must use parallel parking, is one of the major reasons for incorporated areas to follow the Los Angeles action, according to E. Raymond Cato, chief of California Highway Patrol. "The law is clear in its parallel parking demand," says Cato, " and I am advising incorporated areas to clearly mark their highways against angle parking to prevent what may result in court action

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Grass Valley To Pay $4,540 For Neglect In Pavement Repair

A hole in the pavement of Main street, opposite the intersection Alta street, in Grass Valley, left unrepaired for several weeks will cost the city of Grass Valley $4,540, as result of injuries sustained by Juanita A. Booth, nurse, whose arm and back were permanently injured, and face scarred when her car struck that hole at 11:30 p. m. on June 11. This decision was rendered today by Judge Raglan Tuttle. It follows in full:

"Plaintiff seeks to recover damages arising out of an accident occurring while she was the passenger in an automobile.

"On June 11th, at about the hour of 11:30 p. m. this car was being driven along Main street toward Grass Valley. At a point opposite the Alta street intersection, the automobile ran into a hole on the south side of the street. As a result, plaintiff was thrown from the car and struck the pavement, with serious inuries resulting. The uncontradicted testimony of two witnesses is to the effect that the car was travelling at a rate of speed not exceeding thirty miles per hour.

"It is clearly the law in California that Municipalities are liable for injuries to persons and property resulting from the dangerous or defective condition of public streets. (Stats. 1923, P. 675.)

"The evidence shows here that at the time of the accident a rut or hole existed in Main street, extending almost the entire distance from the center line of the pavement to the south side thereof. This hole was several feet in length, and about twenty inches in width. According to distinterested witnesses it was from two to eight inches in depth. That such a condition rendered the street dangerous to traffic could scarcely be denied.

"The law further provides that the City must have notice of this condition. It has been held, however, that where the condition has existed for a considerable length of time, this gives constructive notice to the City, and actual notice is not required. The Superintendent of Streets testified that he went over this street nearly every day, and had done so for a long time. The evidence shows that this hole existed for several weeks prior to the accident. The Court therefore concludes that the City had notice of the dangerous condition of this street.

"The City contends that the driver was intoxicated. There is no testimony to support this defense. It is further contended by the City that the driver of the car was going at an excessive rate of speed. There is no direct testimony to support this charge, but an attempt is made to uphold the contention upon the ground that the car travelled some 200 feet down the hill after the accident. It appears, however, that the brakes were damaged in the impact and that there was difficulty in bringing the car to a stop for this reason. This defense cannot be sustained as the evidence is against such a theory. It follows that the plea of contributory negligence cannot be upheld.

"The City is clearly responsible for the damages arising out of the ocurrence, and the only question remaining is the amount of the recovery. From the evidence it appears that plaintiff is a registered nurse, qualified to follow that profession. She is twenty four years of age, and capable of earning $100.00 per month. Prior to the accident she was in good health. The extent and severity of the injuries were described by Dr. Carl P. Jones. It appears that her left forearm is permanently disabled, and to such an extent that she will no longer be able to receive full compensation as a nurse. Her back was injured to such an extent that recovery is doubtful. Her face was permanently disfigured by scars. She suffered severe pain by reason of the fact that the skin was torn from numerous places on her body. She is able to earn but $20.00 per month at the present time in a Sacramento hospital, due to her inability to perform all the duties of a nurse. The Court will allow her general damages in the sum of $4000.00.

"It follows that plaintiff is entitled to judgment in the sum of $4000.00. She is also entitled to recover $500.00 for medical services and $400.0 for loss of clothing.

"Plaintiff will prepare findings."

Signed, Raglan Tuttle, Judge.

THE CHINA CLIPPER BRINGS XMAS LETTERS

Several letters arrived in Nevada City from the China Clipper Ship on its first voyage, among them were noted Mr. John Ghidotti, Sr., has a letter with many Philippine airmail stamps on it from his son, John, Jr. who is superintendent of the IXL Mining Company at Bolete Masbate, P. I. He sent Christmas greetings and stated he was getting along fine. At Thanksgiving he had all the turkey he could eat, and it was expected 50 turkeys would be prepared for the Christmas feast. In his last letter home he stated he had been sent over a hundred miles from the main gold mining camp and was the only white man there. He has several hundred natives working the mines for him.

Mrs. George Downey received a letter from her son, Merton Downey, with a cheery Christmas greeting and stated himself and wife were well. There were several beautiful Philippine airmail stamps on the envelope.

Chief of Police Garfield Robson received a message from Mr. Lamar Fleming, which also came through Manila, the envelope carried several choice Philippine airmail stamps.

Mrs. Ed Martine received two letters from Honolulu. These letters carried the new U. S. 25 cent first flight airmail stamps.

Others who received letters carried on the China Clipper are W. H. Goede and Dick Bennet.

There were seventeen letters received in Nevada City from the first Pacific Coast airmail flight, for the most part they were from relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Menneker of San Francisco spent the week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goede at their home, Godetia, southeast of Nevada City.

ELMER GLEASON PASSES AWAY THIS MORNING

The sudden passing of Mr. Elmer Gleason at his home on Prospect Hill this morning came as a severe shock to his many relatives and friends. While not in the best of health he was always about, giving cheery greetings and kindly messages.

Mr. Gleason was born near Honcut, Yuba county and was 60 years and 11 months of age at time of passing. He entered the National Forest service work in Challenge, Yuba county, and remained with the service for 22 years before retirement through illness.

In 1900 Mr. Gleason married Miss Lydia Vineyard of Pleasant Valley. Eight children were born to this happy union, seven of whom are living, Earl, having died several years ago. Left to mourn his passing are his devoted wife and the following children: Ralpr Gleason, Harold Gleason, Donald Gleason, Ray and Verne Gleason, Misses Jean and Ruth Gealson and two granddaughters.

Mr. Gleason was a past master of Nevada Lodge, No. 13, F. & A. M.; Past Patron of Evangeline Chapter, O. E. S. of Nevada City and a member of Scottish Rite Masons, of Sacramento.

Holmes Funeral Home of this city have charge of funeral arrangements. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Masonic hall in Nevada City with interment being made in the Masonic plot in Pine Grove cemetery.

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Exit The Dole

Latest accounting of the relief situation in California indicates that the dole is on its way out. For many moons no better news has come to those of us (and that means all of us) who find the very word "dole" exceedingly disagreeable.

Reports of a threatened relief fund shortage had the state jittery for awhile, but this worry passed when assurance came that we have the means to continue taking care of the unemployed. Added to the assurance was a heartening review of the entire situation.

This, at present, is the situation. There are 110,000 on WPA payrolls, and there will be 160,000 by December 14. Frank Y. McLaughlin, State emergency relief director, predicts that a mere 40,000 will remain on direct relief at that time, as compared with something over ninety thousand today.

As to the money problem, the SERA expects to have a balance on hand of nearly two and a half million when the new year begins, over and above the two millions monthly provided by the state. And though the "final" allotment of federal money for direct relief was made last week, McLaughlin reports the load will be so reduced by the first of the year that from then on state funds alone can carry it.

There will probably always have to be, from now on, some sort of work relief on a small scale even after prosperity returns. But the exit of the dole is in tune with the times, in tune with the song that is singing the return of prosperity.

GRASS VALLEY BULLION MINE

Grass Valley Bullion Mine Co. is engaged in reopening the Ben Franklin and Alaska properties on which they hold bond and lease. The old Ben Franklin shaft has been reopened and is being reconditioned. A tunnel in the lower workings connects with the underground workings of the Alaska shaft on adjoining ground. Fifteen men are employed in the reconditioning of the Alaska shaft, and as unwatering progresses crews are cleaning out

CAR RETRIEVED FROM RAGON MINE PIT HEAD

Lou Elkus and men from the Plaza Garage for the AAA pulled the car o Mr. A. Boso from the mouth of the 30 foot pit at the Ragon mine northwest of Nevada City Saturday afternoon. It required the work of several men to build framework about the main mine shaft and place timbers to tow the car out. Mr. Boso went to the mine to apply for work leaving the machine parked near the pit without setting brakes or placing it in reverse. In a few moments it rolled over the bank landing against the side of the building that covers the entrance to the shaft, breaking the airline to the underground workings. The front of the car and one fender were crushed.

and retimbering. A ledge of good ore is known to exist in the shaft.

ZORIC CLEANING SYSTEM ADOPTED BY G V. LAUNDRY

The Grass Valley Laundry and Dry Cleaners have expended several thousand dollars in improvements in equipment and building at the plant, 111 Bennetts street, Grass Valley.

For their dry cleaning they have installed the last word in modern cleaning apparatus, the Zoric system. This consists of a air cleaner, a bath, and a distilling tank, through which the cleaning fluid is redistilled after each lot of clothes is cleaned.

Clothes which are treated by this new process come out as clean as when new, and there is no odor of any kind perceptable as is the case when gasoline is used. Auxiliary appliances enable the establishment to give 24 hour service when it is called for.

The laundry building has been given a new front, commodious, with plenty of light and space for the activities of the establishment, and extending from the original structure to the sidewalk. This enables the proprietor, Mr. Chalmers, to give curb service to cleaning and laundry patrons. Automobiles drive up to the curb, sound their horn and an attendant receives from, or delivers packages, to the car.

The corner of Bennetts and Main streets in Grass Valley is the scene of much building activity and improvement. A new gas station is going up on the corner itself and between that and the Grass Valley Laundry and Dry Cleaners a new grocery store building is going up.

NUGGET ADS PAY

RICHARDS ESTATE SETTLEMENT PROMISED

Counsel for the heirs of the late Phillips Richards estate, which has been in litigation for forty-eight years, reported to Superior Judge Raglan Tuttle that it is probable a settlement will be reached soon.

Judge Tuttle said it is about time a settlement was reached.

"It is a disgrace to the legal profession and the courts as well, the way this case is dragging along," he said.

All original heirs of the estate are dead. The estate now consists of but a small piece of business property in Nevada City.

The case has gone to the California Supreme Court twice.

Nugget Advertising Pays.

Mrs. Fred Smith of the Vogue cleaners in this city was called to Pocatello, Idaho on account of her father's death.

Mrs. Madge Schwartz and Mrs. John Tognarelli spent Saturday in Sacramento.

Quartz and placer claim location notice blanks at the Nugget office.

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CASSIDY CONGRATULATED BY FHA EXECUTIVE

A letter congratulating Fred F. Cassidy, chairman of the Nevada County Better Housing committee, was received by him last week from Jay Keegan, associate director of the Federal Housing Administration, San Francisco. Nevada County has won first place with fourteen other counties in United States, in having reached its FHA quota. The letter follows:

Mr. F.F. Cassidy, Chairman,
Better Housing Committee,
Nevada City, California.
Dear Mr. Cassidy:

I am sure you will be interested in knowing that Nevada County is one of the first fourteen counties in the entire United States to attain 100 per cent of its quota under the modernization program of the Federal Housing Administration.

Modernization credit loans totaling $206,196 were reported to the Federal Housing Administration in Washington up to September 30th, 1936. This represents 223 per cent of the quota set for Nevada County.

You and all the people of Nevada County are to be congratulated upon the remarkable showing you have made. It is a tribute to the public spirit and initiative of the people of Nevada County and if the Federal San Francisco have been able to be of any assistance to you it was gladly rendered. The full credit for this magnificent showing, however, belongs to you and the people of Nevada County.

I am sure the fact that you have already exceeded your quota will not cause any relaxation of effort and the Nevada County will go forward with increased enthusiasum and activity.

Yours very truly
JAY KEEGAN
Associate Director

From Aunt Sarah

This recipe carries a bit of sentiment with it, it makes us pause to ponder over the Yuletide in "Merrie England" many, many years ago. In truth this very recipe has been handed down for many generations.

OLD ENGLISH PLUM PUDDING

2 quarts finely grated bread crumbs.
½ pint white flour.
½ pound finely chopped suet.
One pound seeded raisins.
½ pound light brown sugar.
¼ pound each, citron, orange and lemon peel. (Very thinly sliced.)
One pound cleaned currants.
½ cup syrup.
½ teaspoon ginger, salt, cinnamon, grated rind of lemon peel.
3 or 4 eggs.
½ pint sweet milk.

Mix dry ingredients, add syrup and well beaten eggs and let stand overnight. Steam three hours. Do not let stop steaming one instant after it starts until the three hours are up.

"Remember, darling, you won't always be a junior clerk in a moldy old solicitor's office."

"Thats a fact! I've already got a weeks notice."

—The Humorist (London)

Meek Voice over the telephone "Doctor, this is Mr. Henpeck. My wife just dislocated her jaw. If you're out this way next week or the week after, you might drop in and see her."

—The Nor'west Farmer

CAMPTONVILLE

By ACTON M. CLEVELAND

CAMPTONVILLE, DEC. 9,—Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Joubert left Monday after spending the Thanksgiving holiday at the Joubert home at Oak Valley. They expect to return for another short visit before returning to New Guinea.

Mrs. Virginia M. Lord, returned Sunday to her position at the Masonic Home Hospital after spending Thanksgiving with relatives. Her son John F. Lord ,and James L. Joubert also returned to their school work at Berkeley. Charles Wilson accompanied them and Woodrow Wilson went as far as Sacramento.

Miss Eleanor Turner arrived a couple of days ago from Sacramento and is visiting her parents at Weeds Point.

Forest Ranger Frank W. Meggers had his hands full Saturday with a good sized fire to fgiht near Footes Crossing. It being an odd time of year to fight forest fires.

ANCHO MINE

The interests operating the Ancho mine near Graniteville have reorganized into a new company which it is understood is capitalized at $100,000. Crews are working three shifts and in the program of development another shaft is being sunk. Mr. W. Clancy, who is interested in the property has been directing operations, but is away at this time and work is being directed by Mr. L. A. Armstrong mining engineer of Nevada City.

The newly improved Camptonville jail had its first tennant since the improvement Monday evening, when a poor hungry wanderer came along at night fall without shelter, he was permitted to sleep there to get in out of the piercing cold.

Esmond Humprey and Mrs. Ruben Halkyard arrived Saturday from San Francisco on a short visit to relatives here. Humphrey has a badly injured arm and has been at San Francisco having surgical attention. He was injured quite some time ago by being struck by a log.

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—Farm Journal

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WASHINGTON NEWS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9,—Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Kohler and son, George, spent Thanksgiving at the Schwartz ranch at Pleasant Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Haverstock of the Washington hotel, had as their guest for Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. L. Land.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith and Mrs. Wachter, Mrs. Smith's mother, who have resided in Washington for the past two years, moved to Nevada City the early part of the last week. While in Washington they made many friends who regret their leaving our town.

James Erway who has been in Washington with his family has moved to Grass Valley for the winter.

Mr. G. Thomas, one of the owners of the Eagle Bird mine was a recent visitor in Washington. They have removed the pumps from the mine and quite a lot of equipment has been removed, and sold. The Eagle Bird at one time was one of the big producers in this district, and we hope to see work resumed again soon.

Mr. Carl Kramer and father J. S. Kramer have returned to Washington for the winter. Carl has been care-taker at the Eagle Bird mine.

Mr. Malcome B. Morse of Boston, was a visitor in Washington recently, on mining business.

The mail service in Washington has been changed to three days per week. The people here really need service more in winter than in the summer months, as the summer most every one can go out. Now without mail, we seem more isolated during the winter months. A petition has been signed and sent to Washington D. C. asking for our regular daily mail service, every one here is hoping it will be granted.

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There are songs of their wealth and power,
Their splendor and squalor and sin;
But I sing of the little cities
Where the dim, old pathways lie,
And the nights are filled with the music
Of a river's lullaby.

I sing of little cities
In the California hills,
Caressed by the winds of heaven
And succored by snow-born rills;
Each one with its man made canyon,
Its tunnels and ditches and shaft,
Where of old the giants labored
And the wine of adventure quaffed.

I sing of the little cities
Dreaming the dreams of old,
Yet hailing the rainbow promise
Of a glad new age of gold;
Wearing the badge of courage
When the hours are dull and grey,
And holding romance and wonder
In the name of a by gone day.

I sing of the little cities—
Little cities o' mine;
Whose olden paths were emblazoned
By the heroes of forty nine;
I sing of their dauntless courage;
I pledge them my faith and love;
May the way be bright before them,
May the skies be blue above.

—A. MERRIAM CONNER.

LAUREL PARLOR ELECTS FOR ENSUING TERM

Laurel Parlor No. 6, N. D. G. W. elected officers for the coming term at their regular meeting Wednesday. Card games were enjoyed after the meeting. High scores were made by Ida Sweeney, Edith Davey, and Frances Eilerman: Minerva Wright was awarded the mystery. The evening was concluded with supper in the banquet hall with Christmas as the decorative motif

Officers elected at the meeting were.

Mary Davies, Past President; Mildred Tobiassen, President; Ada Chatfield, First Vice President; Ida Sweeney, Second Vice President Jessie Scott, Third Vice President; Nellie Clark, Recording Secretary; Annie Hooper, Marshall; Mary Martin, Inside Sentinel; Josie Muscardini, Outside Sentinel; Frances Elierman, Pianist; Annie Dark, Lena Calanan, Katherine Williamson, trustees.

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Preparations are being completed by the California State Automobile Association for providing its 65,000 members with the same license plate issuance service for 1936 as in past years, it was announced today by Arthur H. Breed, president of the motorists organization. Technical questions arising from the new additional state license fee have been settled and the club has arranged with the Department of Motor Vehicles for the Association to serve its members as usual in connection with securing their 1936 license plates, Breed stated. The service will be given through thirty-three Asspciatoin offices in as many cities of northern and central Californ'a.

Principal facts concerning the approaching period for renewal of automobile registration are as fol-

The renewal period opens January 2 and closes January 30 at midnight, when a penalty goes into effect doubling the amount that will have to be paid under the additional license fee based on car value.

Automobile owners will receive from the Department of Motor Vehicles a post card notice of valuation and the amount of additional fee due under the new law at the rate of $1.75 per $100. These notices will all be mailed by December 20, it has been announced.

If for example, a car is valued by the Department at $1,000, the fee will be $17.50, or ten $1.75. Or if a car is valued at $476. the fee at $1.75 per $100 will figure out as $8.33. The minnimum valuation on any car will be $20, making the minimum additional fee 35 cents, or one fifth of $1.75.

The new fee is in addition to the regular $3 registration fee.

Registration certificates for 1935 stamped by the assesor to show payment of personal property taxes must be presented. This requirment will cease after the 1936 renewal of registration as the new addition al fee supplants the personal property tax on registerd motor vehicles.

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The unusual feature of the animal unknown in any other fossil specimen, is a long horn arising from the premaxillae on each side of the nasal passage and bifurcate at the top in perfect resemblance of the small boy's sling-shot. It is supposed that the horn was used as both an offensive and defensive weapon, but tis pitchfork characteristics may have provided other uses as well. It is admitted that the animal must have presented a strange sight, even among the oddly accoutered creatures of the period. In addition to this horn atop its nose, the animal had two single prong frontal horns.

The animal appears to have ranged on the Texas plain in the lower Pliocene period, together with the tremendous bear dog, bigger than the biggest bear now known and having both canine and bear characteristics to a marked extent. The field in which these fossils were found has been known since 1890, making it one of the oldest in the country. It is also one of the most prolific in fossil specimens.

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Miss Minnie Brand, who now makes her home in Sacramento, arrived today to remain in Nevada City during the session of the grand jury which opens on Wednesday. Miss Brand will be the guest of Mrs. H. E. Kjorlie.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Melville Newfield all of Sacramento were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Leete Sunday.

The first outdoor Christmas tree lighted in the Piety Hill section is that of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Treglown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dudley of North Bloomfield were in Nevada City Saturday.

Messrs. Mark and Henry Paine were Nevada City visitors Saturday.

"I sent my little boy for two pounds of plums and you only sent a pound and a half."

"My scales are all right, madam. Have you weighed your little boy?"

YOU BET MINE APPEALS VERDICT IN P. G. E. SUIT

Owners of the Remington Hill mine have asked for a new trial of the damage suit in which the Pacific Gas & Electric Company was awarded large damages. The owners, who are Mrs. W. W. Mein, Mrs. Catherine Broyles, and William Maguire plead that the property was leased to Frank Crampton and that they personally were unaware of "unlawful acts" committed.

The You Bet Mining Company has appealed the verdict. The Liberty Hill owners have deeded the property to Pacific Gas & Electric in lieu of all damages.

ASSAULT CHARGE REDUCED

Upon the recommendation of District Attorney Vernon Stoll, Superior Judge Raglan Tuttle has reduced a charge of assault with a deadly weapon against Truman McDaniels, miner, to simple assault.

McDaniels accused of inflicting knife wounds upon Alf Lund, pleaded guilty to the reduced charge and asked for probation. The hearing will be held on Monday, December 16.

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Ancient German Christmas Belief
Germans of ancient times believed that crumbs of bread made at Christmas, and which fell on the ground, would grow into little star flowers with miraculous healing powers.

Santa Claus as Usual
"Santa Claus is comin' around as usual in December," said Uncle Eben, "tryin' to bring along enough good cheer to beat de tax collector."

Non-Christians and Christmas
Non-Christians frequently join in the social observance of the day. To them, it simply has no religious significance.

Christmas Cards Old Custom
The sending of Christmas cards by way of friendly greeting and remembrance has grown up since about 1860.

Christmas Puddings Made Round
Christmas puddings are made round so that they may go round.

This year's winner of the Nobel Peace Prize will be the fellow discovers someway to keep the diplomats apart.

—Judge

POLICE OFFICER HURT

Saturday evening Policemen William Rickard and William Fraser of Grass Valley told two youths, who said they were from Sacramento, and who were raising a disturbance, to get out of town. When Mr. Rickard was alone, patrolling his beats, one of the boys struck him a heavy blow, knocking him against a mail box. He received a badly bruised face. The two boys ran and have not been apprehended as yet. Mr. Rickard was a former deputy sheriff of Nevada County and his many friends hope his injuries are not serious.

Mr. C. E. Clinch, business man of Grass Valley visited the county seat Thursday.

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Bringing to fruition a plan on which it has been working for a long time, the Nevada County Narrow Gauge Railroad Company announces the completion of an arrangement which, effective December 11th, 1935, will provide Grass Valley and Nevada City with first morning delivery of freight originating at San Francisco, Oakland and other points in the bay district.

The freight will be handled in the name of the Pacific Motor Transport Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Southern Pacific Company. From the bay district it will move to Sacramento over Southern Pacific rails, and from Sacramento will be handled by motor truck facilities operated through a subsidiary of the Nevada County Narrow Gauge Railroad Company. Freight leaving the bay district at night will arrive at Grass Valley at 7:00 A. M. the next morning (except Sundays and holidays), at Nevada City, at 8 A. M. and will be immediately distributed to the store doors of the consignees. Freight delivered to the freight depots at San Francisco or Oakland up to 5:45 P. M. will make this connection.

With this combination rail and truck service, you will be afforded the same measure of security and protection that you now enjoy with the all-rail service; the operation will be conducted in full compliance with recently enacted State legislation, and the rates will be as low as consistent with the maintenance of a high standard of service.

The present rail rates will apply to this complete service, including pick-up and delivery, and this constitutes a 10c reduction in rates if the consignee elects to call for his freight at the depot as at present and can prevail upon the shipper to deliver it to the freight depot at point of origin. In that event, the Nevada County Narrow Gauge Railroad Company will absorb and pay to the consignee, for calling for his freight an allowance of 5c per 100 pounds, and, if the shipper will endorse upon the shipping order "Credit drayage allowance to consignee," there will then be allowed to the consignee an additional 5c per 100 pounds.

These same conditions will apply to Sacramento less-than-carload freight insofar as pick-up and store door delivery service and allowances for drayage services performed by shipper and consignee are concerned. The only difference will be that the Sacramento merchandise freight will continue to move all-rail with the arrival time at destination practically the same as the truck service.

The Nevada County Narrow Gauge Railroad Company deeply appreciates the loyalty and patience of the users of its service in the past and we are happy to think that we can, by this improved service justify our past friendship and express the hope that we may continue to enjoy your business.

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PARALLEL PARKING

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in event an accident occurs."

Safety organizations backing the parallel parking system specify three reasons for its popularity: 1. Persons stepeping from the curb between cars have clear vision of the highway; 2. Cars do not have to back into traffic when leaving a parking area; 3. A greater area for moving traffic is opened.

The new state law requiring parallel parking follows.

"Except when loading or unloading merchandise, no person shall park or leave standing any vehicle at the curb or edge of a through state highway unless both right wheels of the vehicle are within 18 inches of the curb or edge of such highway."

Division of highways of the department of public works has been instructed by Director Earl Lee Kelly to cooperate with California Highway Patrol in assisting cities to meet demands of the new state law on parallel parking.

STOLEN AUTO SPOTTERS TRAINED BY STATE

A trained squad of stolen automobile spotters will be developed at a motor vehicle department school which opened at the State Fair grounds last week.

Under a new law which will become operative January 1st, the registration of out of state cars will be deferred for ninety days, during which time the trained detective force will determine whether they are in the possession of the legitimate owner.

A squad of seventeen operatives, including ten investigators and seven border checking clerks, will administer the law.

Instructors in the class include highway patrol inspectors, registration chiefs and auto theft experts.

Christmas in Shanghai Just One of Their Days

WHEN Christmas comes to Shanghai, a cross-section of the world makes holiday. The average Chinaman fails to get the meaning of it, but such a fun-loving people can do well with one more celebration. So the Chinaman himself adds to the din with firecrackers and gift-giving, parties and the making of calls.

There is a distinct western touch to the observance of the season by this most cosmopolitan city. Shanghai's "social registerites" start plans for dinners and dances as early as the middle of November; immediately reservations are checked off on the calendars of ballrooms and restaurants. The exact form of observance varies with the nationality divisions of the city. In the Russian section, the day is observed as it is on the steppes or in Moscow. The French greet Santa Claus in their own way, even though the wax dolls have to be brought far from the Champs Elysees. The Japanese prefer to make merry by drinking saki. The English must have their plum pudding and holly.

At the mission schools, where boys and girls are taught in separate classes, Christmas carols around the tree give modest school girls a chance not only of singing hymns but of "seeing hims."

In interior China, however, most of the people prefer to celebrate their own Dragon-boat, Mid-Autumn, and New Year holidays rather than this "imported" one. They do not even try to understand these queer foreigners. To them December 25 is just another day!—Frances Grinstead.

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HANDSOME WINDOW DISPLAY

The Alpha Hardware Stores, Ltd., of this city are displaying attractive gifts for the Christmas trade in electrical appliances, beautiful dishes, oven ware, washing machines, Chesterfield set, lamps, desk, cedar chest, smoking set and over stuffed chairs.

Carl E. Smith, non-resident checking clerk at the Truckee station has been attending the school.

NUGGET ADS PAY

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Popcorn Presents

Apples, jelly or canned fruit, and even big cherry homemade wreaths done up "Christmasy" make practical presents; but the gayest and most welcome of the off-the-farm-and-on-to-the-city presents seem to be pop corn and hickory nuts. With a basket of pop corn and a bag of hickory nuts all kinds of Christmas boxes are suitable for every one from grandfather and grandmother who lived on a farm and picked up chestnuts when they were young, all the way down to the littlest boy cousin, who's inordinately fond of candy.

Holiday Garnish for Salads

Cranberry jelly sliced and cut into fancy shapes with a cookie cutter or a knife makes an attractive and unusual garnish for salads and desserts during the holiday season.

Uncle Eben's Advice

"Santa Claus will soon be here," said Uncle Eben, "and tain't no time to tell yoh financial worries. If you writes him a letter, don't write it in red ink."

DOG BITES CHILD

Little Grace Harding, of Nevada City, was quite severely bitten on the face by a dog Sunday at about noon. Dr. Hummelt, attending physician, found three big gashes in her face that required fourteen stitches to close. It is reported the child was playing with the dog which was gnawing a bone.

NUGGET ADS PAY

NOTICE

State of California,
County of Nevada. ss.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am transacting business in the State of California, in the County of Nevada, under the fictitious name of "S. Lee Leiter Lace House;" that my full name is Ruby Miller and my place of residence is Nevada City, Nevada County, California.

WITNESS my hand this 9th day of December, 1935.

RUBY MILLER.

State of California,
County of Nevada, ss.

On this 9th day of December, 1935, before me, W. E. Wright, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared RUBY MILLER, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing affidavit and she acknowledged to me that she executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal the day and year in this Certificate first above written.

(SEAL)

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Made Best of Worst of Christmas-Time Mishap

THE snow began nearly a week before Christmas and when the great day arrived, folks were trying to remember the time when it didn't snow in Morton City. Barnes, the only merchant, had put off getting his shopping supply so there were no gifts in town to be bought for love or money. But when news got about that the train down on the railroad siding was snowbound in Morton City, old and young sort of forgot about the lack of gifts. Too, the president of the road with his party had a special car on the rear of the snowbound passenger, and wasn't that a great honor indeed?

Folks got over the novelty of their visitors in time for the organization of a huge choir of carol singers that went down to the train and paraded through the length of the coaches, even to singing for the chef and the porters and, of course, all the train men. They had remembered to take along a tree decorated with the makeshift ornaments they had on hand from previous years. But somehow, they made a great hit with all the strangers who joined heartily in the fun.

The passengers dove into their baggage and brought up books, boxes of candy, candy bars, ties, fancy soaps and bath salts, highly perfumed, beautiful towels and even lovely baby clothing, wearing apparel and jewelry. In fact, not a soul in the little settlement was without one of the impromptu gifts. The passengers received old-fashioned roasted fowls and all trimmings of a generous feast. What one hath not, the other had, seemed the most terse explanation of the happy condition!—Luella B. Lyons.

D'you know, Mrs. 'Arris I sometimes wonder if me 'usbands' grown tired of me."

"Whatever makes you say that, Mrs. 'Iggs?"

"Well 'e ain't been 'ome for seven years."

JURY TRIAL REQUESTED

Mrs. Alpha Lattin, arraigned Friday in the superior court on an information containing two counts of perjury pleaded not guilty to both counts and asked for a jury trial which was set for January 15, 1936.

Aren't people funny? If you tell a man there are 270,678,934,341 stars in the univers he'll believe you—but if a sign says "Fresh Paint", that same man has to make a personal investigation.

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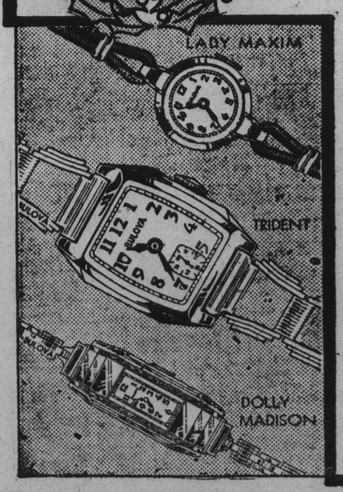

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